

## Supplemental Material

Supplemental Material Table 1. Method of registering death numbers in the WHO mortality database.

Region Code	Year									
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<b>Asia</b>										
ISR	9	9	10	10	10	10			10	
JPN	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
<b>Eastern Europe and Southern Europe</b>										
HRV	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
CZE	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
HUN	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
POL	9			10	10	10	10	10	10	10
ROU	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
ESP	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
<b>Northern Europe and Western Europe</b>										
AUT	9	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10
DNK	10	10	10	10	10	10				
FIN	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
FRA	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	
DEU	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
ISL	10 <sup>a</sup>	10	10	10 <sup>a</sup>	10	10	10	10	10	10
LTU	9	9	10 <sup>a</sup>	10	10 <sup>a</sup>	10	10	10	10	10
LUX	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NLD	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
NOR	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
SWE	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10		
GBR	9	9	9	9		10	10	10	10	10
<b>Americas excluding South America</b>										
CAN	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10		
CUB	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10
MEX	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10		
USA	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10		
<b>South America</b>										
ARG	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
BRA	10	10	10	10	10					
CHL	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
ECU	9	10 <sup>a</sup>	10 <sup>a</sup>	10 <sup>a</sup>	10	10	10	10 <sup>a</sup>	10	10
URY	9	10	10	10	10	10				
<b>Oceania</b>										
AUS	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
NZL	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	

Abbreviations: 9, registered by ICD-9 (ICD 9th revision); 10, registered by ICD-10; blank, no data registered.

<sup>a</sup>Indicates no data under C45.0 and C45.9 for men.